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"MAXIMILIAN DIAMONDS,"

ALLEGED SMUGGLERS WITH WEAT LOOKS LIKE A GOLD BRICK.

Necklace With a Tellow SS-Carat Pendant offered as Part of the Mexican Crown Jewels to New York Jewellers-The Two Bestcans Who Had Them Clapped Into Jail.

A diamond necklace and two diamond rings said to have once belonged to the "Maximilian Collection" were, as is alleged, smuggled into this country about a month ago over the Mexican border at Laredo and since Oct. 17 the two Mexicans who are said to have brought them into the country without saying anything about it to the customs officers have been in this city trying to dispose of the gems. They wanted \$60,000 for them and while going from one diamond dealer to another to get that price they attracted the attention of F. R. E. Silva of the Secret Service.

Silva had been on the lookout for the diamonds in this city because he had been informed that they had got through Laredo. Silva notified the Custom House officers yesterday morning and Special Treasury Agent William H. Theobald went out with him to find the Mexicans. They found them and the diamonds, too, at Broadway and Seventeenth street early in the afternoon. The Mexicans are Velino M Preza and Alejandro A Marcuci. They were talking with Gen. Abelardo Moscoso, a countryman of theirs, when arrested. The General belongs in this city and had nothing to do with the alleged smuggling.

Freza is the older man of the two prisoners. He cannot speak a word of English. Marouci appeared to be Preza's servant. He was his interpreter, anyway, and had nothing to say except when acting as such. That was before the arrest. Afterward Marcuci talked for himself and Seemed willing to get out of the scrape at the other man's expense

Preza and Marcuci came to this city on Oct. 17 and went to the Hotel America, Irving place and Fifteenth street, where they registered their right names. They were assigned to the same room for one night and the next day they left and went to Miss Whalen's at 214 and incredulous. East Fourteenth street, where they lived up to the time of the arrest. Their only luggage was one small leather satchel, and they took that out with them every day, Miss Whalen Profits of the Coming Tour of This Country.

One of the first places where they tried to seil the diamonds was the store of Mills & Coleman in Madison avenue and Sixtieth street. They could do no business there and then tried the Maiden lane district without success. To each dealer they told the same story about the historical value of the gems and as evidence they showed a slip of paper in the bottom of the case containing the necklace upon which was written the following in English:

The diamond necklace from Maximilian's crown; the Emperor of Mexico, 1860.

The centre stone weighs 33.7 karate and the

eighteen surrounding it no less than I warat each.
The diamond ring, the stone thereof was in Maximilian's ring the time that he was shot. The Mexicans had two rings, each of them with a solitaire setting. The stones of the neck-

lace were arranged with the big stone in the middle and the small ones clustered about it and all strung on a gold chain.

The jeweller's trade mark, stamped on the satin-lined case which contained the snuggled

to make another attention to sell this stones. At Lynch's they were referred to bolomon Belais, a diamond expert, at it has distreenth street to get an estimate of the value of the stones. Belais told them that it was his business to appraise stones and that he could not give them any opinion until they agreed to pay aim a certain percentage of the value of their diamonds. The Mexicana requeed to do that and went away without cetting the expert's opinion. It was immediately after that that they were arrested.

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Silva pointed the men cut to Theobald and Theobald called on Policeman Sloyan of the broadway squad to help him make the arrest. As the policeman and the Federal officers approached the Mexicans Preza handed a package to Marcuci, who put it in his pocket. The prisoners were taken to the West Thirtieth street police station, where Theobald got the remission of the sergeant to search them. The rings and necklace were found in Marcuci's possession.

That's when the interpreter began to talk for himself. He said that Preza had passed the package to him and that he was not guiltr.

The two nen were arranged before United States Commissioner Shields. He adjourned the case for a week at the round of Lavyer T. A. Alchison, who had becar retained as counsel for the defence, but who had not had time to talk with his clients. Preza's bail was fixed at \$5,000 and the other man's at \$1,500. Both of them were taken to Ludlow street iall by United States Marshal Henkel.

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the only statement that Preza would make to Theobald yesterday was that he had received the diamonds in the City of Mexico from the woman to whom he is engaged and that he brought them to this country to sell them. Theobald intimated that Marcuci would tell the whole story when the time comes to save himself.

himself.

The expert opinion which Solomon Belais would not give to the Mexicans without a fee was to the effect that the big stone in the neck-lace was full of flaws and that second for the collection was a price to be laughed at.

Juan N. Navarro, the Mexican Consul-General in this city, sail last night that the attempt to palm off the jewels as a part of the Maximilian collection was absurd. He thought that it was something new in the way of a gold brick baked in the City of Mexico for the New York market.

market.
Gen. Moscoso formerly lived at the Hotel
America, but left there six months ago and
went to the Park View Hotel in West Fortysecond street. He left the Park View three
months ago. The clerk there said last night
that the only address he had left was '5 Broadway."

t may be safely doubted that this big, yel-, flaw-filled diamond, or any of the smaller monds found in the possession of the Mexiss ever belonged to the ill-fated Maximilian his Empress Carlotta. What has come to known as the Maximilian collection conted not alone of jewels, but of bric-a-braed laces and tapestries as well. Some of the ca-brac-bowls, vases and ivories—are need in this city now and were seen by a borter of Tap Sun last night.

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That part of the collection which did not include the jewels was sold in Paris several years ago and a part of it found its way to this country. The jewels of Carletta were a part of the larger collection of the House of Hapsburg, the head of which is the Emperor of Austria. No expert in precious stones, who could be found last night, had ever heard that any of the Maximilian jewels had been sold. A person who has some knowledge of the worlds jewel collections made the following statement to a Sun reporter last evening:

The Maximilian jewels were a part of that collection made through centuries by the House of Hapsburg. I have never heard that any jewels that were known to have been once the property of Maximilian or his wife were ever sold anywhere. I very much doubt if Hapsburg lewels would be allowed ever to pass out of the family. The house have been sticklers for things like that always. But more than all that, the Carlotta zems, particularly the rubies and the diamonds, were known to have been really gens.

This large stone, it is said, is off color have.

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Association Formed to Oppose the Agrarian Tariff Policy.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. BERLIN, Nov. 12 .- Three hundred representtives of the industry, finance and commerce of Germany met at the Kaiserhof yesterday and organized a temporary association of manufacturers and financiers with the object of maintaining the present customs policy of the Government. Dr. Siemans, director of the German bank, said they must combat the exaggerated claims of the Agrarians for prohibitive customs duties. President Herz of the Berlin commercial community and Adolph Weehrmann of the

Hamburg association spoke in a similar strain. Washington, Nov. 12.-That a significant and serious industrial crisis is pending in Germany is recognized throughout the Empire. so Consul-General Frank W. Mason of Berlin writes to the State Department. While the United States are enjoying unexampled prosperity, Germany is suffering from an unusual depression. He says:

Popular opinion here generally asserts Popular opinion here generally asserts that, while German syndicates have been on the whole conservatively managed and have resisted to some extent the advance of prices during the flush years of prosperity, they have not done this sufficiently, but have yielded unduly to the fascinations of large profits, with the result of attracting excessive capital to certain lines of manufacture and creating over-production, from which the whole country must suffer. Just how far this is true is the main point in dispute; only the future can save and maintain what they have done so much to create.

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"Aside from the local conditions which exist in Germany, by far the most important and ominous element in the problem is the new and enlarged role which has been assumed by the United States as a source of coal and metals. The first reports that American coal had found a market in France and Italy, and had been even tested successfully for gas-making purposes in London, were received here with incredulity amounting to resentment. The fact was recalled that a trial shipment of American anthracite to Berlin some years ago had proved slaty and inferior, and the reported dissatisfaction of a French railway company with its first trial of American steam coal was dilated upon to show that Germany's already large adverse trade belaince with the United States would never be still further increased by imports of coal's ot that while dealers and certain consumers hailed the prospect of a new source of supply from beyond the Atlantic, the general sentiment of the press was distinctly hostile and incredulous.

BERNHARDT AND COQUELIN SAIL.

Special Cable Despatch to THR SUN. Paris, Nov. 12.-Mme. Sarah Bernhardt and M. Coquelin, who are to make a tour of the United States, started for New York to-day. Prior to leaving Mme. Bernhardt said in an interview

"This will probably be my farewell visit to the United States. It is a charming country, its people being so warm-hearted and amiable.

from naval experts to show the neces-maintaining the supply of battleships, torpedo hoat destroyers, torpedo

beautieships and eight submarine beautin 1901.

that France is insufficiently distant seas, proposes an insurance of sailors, denounces

s over. It opened on April 14.

BULIER ARRIVES IN LONDON. Fought at the Tugela.

Special Cable Desnatch to THE St. LONDON, Nov. 12 - Gen. Sir Redvers Buller arrived at Waterloo station this morning The General was dressed in mufti and was enthusiastically acclaimed. He took a carriage for Pall Mall to report at the War Office.

Atlantic Transport Company Rumor Dented.

lantic Transport Com; any declares that there is no foundation for the report of the consolidation of that company with the Leyland and Red Star Steamship lines.

season to-day. Over one hundred persons were

London, Nov. 12 Parliament will meet on Dec 3 to consider the votes necessitated by the pro ongation of the South African war, but will adjourn again before Christmas.

Heavier Locomotives for Danish Railways.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. COPENHAGEN, Nov. 12 - The state railways will make large renewals of rolling stock during the year 1901. These will include heavier loco-

Report of Lady Curzon's Illness Denied.

BOMBAY, Nov. 12 - There is no truth in the report that Lady Curzon, formerly Miss Mary leiter of Chicago, is ill She is in perfect

ST PETERSBURG, Nov 12 - The Czar has been suffering from influenza stice last Friday. The

Platt's Chlorides, the Best Disinfectant for household uses. Odorless stainless cheap.—Ads.

No Excess Fare to St. Louis.

The New York Central's "St. Louis Limited," giving imagnificent service via Lake Shore and Big for a winter's breakfast. Try a two pound package.

Ads.

INDUSTRIAL CRISIS IN GERMANY. NO CONTEST IN KENTUCKY.

REPUBLICANS WILL NOT FIGHT BECKHAM'S ELECTION.

Gross Frauds Are Apparent, but There Is No Tribunal Where an Imparital Hearing Could Re Expected-Congress Contests Likely-Statement by Campaign Committee.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Nov. 12 - The Republican Campaign Committee has practically given up the fight, so far as the Gubernatorial race is concerned, and announced to-day that the election of Beckham would not be contested because there was no tribunal where an impartial hearing could be expected. The committee gave out the following statement: To the Public:

"In closing its work the Republican State

Executive Committee desires to make some statement of the results of the recent election and the conditions under which it was held. "That this election was held under the Goebel law was not an accident but was a deliberate purpose, decided upon by the controlling in-fluences in the Goebel Democracy months ago, and it was held under that election law because they did not dare to go before the people with any less power to defraud them of their electoral rights than was given them under that infamous measure.

"That they were right in this view of the condition of public opinion in the State of Kentucky has been demonstrated by the results of the election just closed.

"With the bold, wholesale frauds in Breathitt, Greenup, Warren, Fayette and Logan; with the refusal to count hundreds upon hundreds of Republican ballots, where the intention of the voter was evident, upon trivial objections, grounds for which had, in nearly every instance, been prepared by the Goebel election officers themselves or their confederates: with the decision of every Democratic challenged voter of every challenged Republican voter against the Republicans: with following the provisions | by foreigners, but not for native Christians, of the law; with Democratic officers of election | the words missionary and Christians not ocin the booth, in places with arms and badges of deputy sheriffs, with an unfair review of the ballots by the County Commissioners in many places and a secret session for the purpose of making an official count in others with precincts showing Republican majorities thrown out upon technicalities in some counties, and Democratic precincts, where the counties, the Goebel Commissioners have only been able to show a small plurality of votes for Mr. Beckham as Governor.

"The aggregate of the specific frauds above described would have elected John W. Yerkes | Eyek. is people being so warm-hearted and amiable. On each of my surrecheard and amiable, three increased. This time M. Coquellan will be devoted to art and science, law and literature with the face are apparent to any containing dresses, shees and hate. So howes containing dresses, shees and hate. So howes containing dresses, shees and hate. So howes expect to gain 1,000,000 fragos, draws a month toward her traveling extension of the people of this State has been more artfully concealed and provided the face are apparent to any containing dresses, shees and hate. So howes containing dresses, shees and hate. So howes containing dresses, these says the source the election on the face of her eturns were mere incely made, but enough the face that has apparent to any condition and so the provided that the more of the face and the face are apparent to any containing dresses, shees and hate. So howes dresses and she will dresses a sheet sheet of the face of the fa as Governor without considering the frauds committed under the Goebel law this year

discouragement. As long as we can show a substantial growth of strength in behalf of the great principles for which we are contending we may look forward with abiding faith in the power of the people to govern themselves. In the contest which is just over there was no large silent vote, which has to be figured upon for the future, and there was no third ticket with a large vote, whose future action must be taken into consideration, but in an open face-to-face conflict, with a full expression of the entire vote of the State, our plurality in Kentucky is established.

The fact that the majority of the voters

Kentucky is established.

"The fact that the majority of the voters of this State have awakened to the true conditions that surround them and the only remedies that exist for the correction of the cvilis we suffer from, and stand for the right, justifies us in calling upon those who wish to purify the State by a non-partisan protection of the ballot and an elevation of the judiciary above partisan influence to prepare again

purify the State by a non-partisan protection of the ballot and an elevation of the judicary above partisan influence to prepare again and wage a still stronger and more successful fight next year.

There will be no contest over the Gubernatorial vote. There is no tribunal to which we can appeal with any hope of an impartial hearing. It is not within the province of this committee to decide for the party or Congressional candidates what is advisable with regard to contests for the electoral vote or Congressional candidates what is advisable with regard to contests for the electoral vote or Congressional seats.

"For the State Executive Committee, by "LESLIE COMES, Chairman."

There is no doubt that Moss, Pugh and Hopkins will contest for their seats from the Taird, Ninth and Tenth districts. Moss has filled a mandamus suit in the Circuit Court at Bowling Green to compel the commission to count the disputed ballots where the intention of the voter was plain. The hearing was set for Nov. 20.

The result of this suit will decide who will receive the certificate. There are 400 disputed ballots in Warren county alone and if counted for Moss will elect him by a good majority. It will be remembered that in the Nelson county case last year the commission was compelled by mandamus to count the ballots in which the intention of the voter was plain.

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the Congressional contests are filed. Orear's ction makes the Court of Appeals Republican.

The official count is still incomplete. Beckham has gained slightly and will probably show a majority of about 2,000 or 2,500.

USING AMERICAN STEEL BARS. Increasing Importation Threatens the Local Industry at Swansea.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN, SWANSEA, Nov. 12.—At a meeting to-day of the Swansea Harbor Trust Sir John Jenkins, ex-chairman of the trust, said that the in-London Rave its first luncheon of the of the port as the trust would lose the large revenue obtained from the importation of the present. Most of the gues s were theatrical raw material used in making bars locally, and the latter industry was threatened with ex-

> DON'T WANT TO INSURE KINGS. Companies Not Anxious to Risk \$2,000 on the Life of Alexander of Servia.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. VIENNA, Nov. 12. - Anewspaper here states that King Alexander of Servia is trying to insure his life for 10,000,000 francs in several com-panies. One company in Trieste, to which he applied for a polic,y of 1,500,000 france, refused to write it on the ground of the growing frequency of Anarchist crimes against rulers. The company had to pay a policy of 3,000,000 france on the life of King Humbert of Italy, and since his assassination it has refused to

Father of Mrs. Humphry Ward Dead.

DUBLIN, Nov. 12 -Thomas Arnold, Fellow and Examiner in English Literature at the Royal University of Ireland, is dead. He was born Nov 30, 1823, and was the father of

THE DEMANDS ON CHINA. Final Agreement by the Ministers Reported on Eleven Propositions.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. LONDON, Nov. 13 .- To the various lists of lemands reported as agreed upon by the Ministers for presentation to China the Times's Pekin correspondent adds another, which, he says, subject to the approval of the various Governments, will be pressed as the basis of a preliminary treaty. The demands named by the correspondent are as follows:

First-The erection of a monument to Baron von Ketteler on the site of his murder and the sending of an Imperial Prince to Germany to apologize to Emperor William for the assassination of his representative. Second-That eleven guilty Princes and

exalted personages be executed. Third-That provincial examinations be suspended for five years in places where outrages have occurred.

Fourth-That in the future all officials who made no effort to prevent outrages on foreigners within their jurisdiction be immediately removed and punished. This is a modification of Minister Conger's proposal. Fifth-That indemnity be paid to States,

corporations and individuals. Sixth-That the Tsung-!i-Yamen be abolished and its functions vested in a Foreign Minister. Seventh-That rational intercourse be permitted with the Emperor as in civilized coun-

Eighth-That the Taku and other forts on the

Ninth-That the Importation of arms and war material be prohibited. Tenth-That permanent legation guards be stationed in Pekin, and also that guards be stationed along the communication between

Pekin and the sea. Eleventh - That Imperial proclamations suppressing the Boxers be posted for two years throughout the Empire.

The correspondent adds that the demand in favor of the Democrats and with the decision | for indemnity includes compensation for the Chinese who suffered through being employed curring in the note.

CONVENTION OF WOMEN'S CIUBS.

New York State Federation, Representing 30.000 Women, Meets in Albany To-day. ALBANY, Nov. 12 Mrs. William Tod Helmuth. President of the New York State Federasame irregularities existed, counted in other | tion of Women's Clubs, accompanied the vanguard of the delegates to the sixth annual convention of the federation, which opens here to-morrow in a four days' session. Headquarters were established at the Hotel Ten

> The convention will be held in the Assembly Chamber in the Capitol. Its deliberations will

Colorado Man Expects to Circulate His Ounce in the proceedings instituted by Attorney-of Silver Colors at \$1.25. General Davies to annul the charter of the Ice

Colorado pioneer and silver mine owner, has nor and the Attorney-General are determined and has manufactured several silver coins, fully to curb the trust. they are to be referred to the people for ac-

Mr. Lesher proposes to demonstrate that the intrinsic value theory is a delusion and a snare. 65 cents an ounce and the expense of coining is 15 cents -80 cents in all. But he values his is 15 cents—80 cents in all. But he values his dollars at \$1.25 and expects to issue them as such and keep them above par. Although he is confident that the silver alone is really worth \$1.29 an ounce, he admits that other people may be prejudiced and, therefore, he promises to pay \$1.25 in United States money on demand for each referendum dollar.

The general idea carried out by Mr. Lesher has been suggested by Gov. Waite, and was once entertained by Senator Wolcott. Senator Teller assured Lesher that so long as he did not imitate the lawful money of the United States he would meet with no interference from the Federal authorities. In order to avoid any such entanglement Mr. Lesher makes his dollars six-sided.

MISS BOOTH'S ESCORT.

in a carriage accident on Sunday night, was removed yesterday from the Harlem Hospital. where she was first taken, and put in the aicoholic ward of Bellevue Hospital. The man who was with her as one of her escorts masquerading under the name of Newton Booth, her brother, was Newton Baret Stachelberg. son of the wealthy tobacconist. Miss Booth on the return drive from a dinner party at

which the First National Bank of this city is affected, is brought to light. The amount involved is \$56,000, but the bank officials will lose nothing. Will Lee, the individual book-keeper, a man of 40, who had lived a life in Nashville apparently of exemplary habits, left here last July. The bank officials became aware of the peculations, and, from what can be learned to-night, looked at once to Lee's bondsmen. He was never brought back and the affair was hushed up.

The investigations were quietly continued. The investigations were quietly continued. Brady has confessed that the defunct firm's accounts furnished the way by which the individual be okkeeper defrauded the bank. The bank thinks Brady was the only member of the firm criminally liable.

Attachment for \$60,000 Against Charles M.

against charles M. Reed, formerly proprietor of the Hotel Victoria, at Broadway and Twentyseventh street, in favor of the Morton Trust Company The a tachment was served on Mr. Reed and also on Mr. Price, the President of the American Hotel Victoria Company.

No Expense la Spared To make the service via the Pennsylvania Limited unequalicd.-Ads. STATE'S PAPERS STOLEN. VALE BOLAN SHOT BY HIS BROTHER. RICH MAN'S SON ARRESTED.

HOW VAN WYCK'S ANSWER TO ICE TRUST CHARRES WAS PROCURED.

A Former Employee of the Executive Chamber Has Been in the Business of Selling Secret Documents and He Is to Be Criminally Prosecuted-The Governor to Make a Statement To-day on the Van Wyck Case. ALBANY, Nov. 12 .- Criminal prosecution of a

former employee in the Executive Chamber is to follow the publication in a New York city newspaper last week of the answer of Mayor Van Wyck to the charges against him filed with Gov. Roosevelt in connection with the Ice Trust scandal, as well as the publication of Attorney-General Davies's report to the Governor commenting thereon. For the past year or more the contents of Gov. Roosevelt's private and official papers have found their way into the news columns of a New York city daily newspaper. In the Executive Department it was, of course, feared that there was a leak among the attaches of the office. Who the man was could not be conjectured, although efforts were made to discover the source from which the information came by placing on file in the Executive Chamber fake official documents by Secretary Youngs.

Among the documents which have been published through this subterranean source were Gov. Roosevelt's private letter to some friend refusing to interfere in the Martha Place murder case, and the Andrews report on the examination of the loans of the New York Trust Company it is known that an offer was made to sell the report of Commissioner Wilcox on the charges preferred to the Governor against District Attorney Asa Bird Gardiner of New York county, but this report was released two hours before the offer of barer was nade. Then came the publication of the story that a deficiency existed in the maintenance fund of the Executive Department.

After this employee had established a business with the newspaper upon a financial basis, he succeeded in working off upon it some fake stories. All of these things were printed as local stories by the New York papers in order to divert suspicion from its Albany subsidized The only story that could be traced o the discharged employee was that regarding he deficiency in the maintenance appropriation. He had been so neglectful in his work that no elemency could be shown him and he was discharged forthwith. Besides purloining the contents of documents in the Executive Chamber it had been discovered that the person suspected of this work had robbed the State of over \$100 through false vouchers. The Governor and Mrs. Roosevelt reached

Albany early to-night and proceeded at once

procured a die, laid in a supply of silver builion to push as the only way in which success-ODELL LUNCHES WITH ROOSEVELT.

State Committee Called to Meet on Nov. 17 to Elect a New Chairman. up from Oyster Bay yesterday and before leaving for Albany gave a lunch at the Union elect Odell, Seth Low, George L. Rives, Paul Dana, Brander Matthews, Arthur Von Briesen, George P. Bishop, Nicholas Murray Butler, Dr. Albert Shaw and Jacob A. Riis. There Dr. Albert Shaw and Jacob A. Riis. There was only desultory conversation on political subjects. Governor-elect Odell returned to Newburgh last evening.

Secretary Reuben L. Fox of the Republican State Committee issued a call last night for a meeting of the committee to be held at the Fifth Avenue Hotel on Nov. 17 at 12 o'clock to elect a successor to Mr. Odell as chairman of the committee. It is already known that Col. George W. Dunn of Binghamton is to suc-

the committee. It is already known that Col. George W. Dunn of Binghamton is to suc-ceed Mr. Odell. DEVERY IN REPLY TO CROKER.

The Police Chief Says His Men Were Not Asleep When Fire Was Discovered. of the police at the fire at 48 and 50 Walker street yesterday morning. He intimated yesterday afternoon that Chief Croker had merely blamed the police for slowness in discovering the fire because the fire had got beyond the firemen's

"I said at the time, and I repeat it." Croker son of the wealthy tobacconist. Miss Booth on the return drive from a dinner party at McGowan's Pass Tavern, insisted on taking the reins. On the East Drive at louth street, the horses became unmanageable and the woman was dragged from the seat of the runabout. Her wound was at first thought to be serious, but she regained consciousness soon after entering the Hariem Hospital. Yesterday she was in a state of alcoholic collapse.

Newton Stachelberg figured in the newspapers last spring, when his relatives asserted that he was insame. He was shut up in a Flushing institute for three months and was released by the court. He has been living at the Hotel (adillae since Aug 20, the time of his release. Miss Booth has also lived there.

BANK DEFALCATION DISCOVERED.

Member of a Nashville Firm Confesses Collasion With a Bookkeeper.

Nashville, Tenn. Nov. 12.—With the assignment to-day of Conner and Brady, well-known wholesale grocers, a defalcation, in which the First National Bank of this city is affected, is brought to light. The amount involved is \$6,000, but the bank officials will lose nothing. Will Lee, the individual book-leeper, a man of 40, who had lived a life in Nashville apparently of excupplary habits. said yesterday, "that had the policeman on

SUICIDE OF A MANUFACTURER.

Hessels Left Home for Church and Killed Himself in His Office. facturer, committed suicide some time between Sunday morning and Monday merning in his office at 1274 Broadway by inhaling illuminatoffice at 1274 Broadway by inhaling illuminating gas. Hessels left his home on Sunday morning to go to church. His family becar e anxious when he did not return in array y sterday morning his son went to his office and could not get in. The police forced the door and found the old man sitting, dead, in a chair by the gas radiator, with the gas turned on. He had removed the tube from the radiator, rassed it through one of the buttonholes of his waistcoat and gripped the end between his teach. He was fully dressed. His hat lay on the floor. It was said that he had been worrying lately ever business matters. Hessels lived with his family at 2183 Broadway.

Ladies and gentlemen; luncheon and dinner; music.

A Serious Accident While They Were Out After Ducks on Chesapeake flay.

PHILADELHIA, Nov. 12.-Robert Tolant, a well-known society man of this city, brought e news to this city to-night that H Yale Dolan, the son of Thomas Dolan of the Widener-Dolan-Elkins street car syndicate, had been accidently shot and seriously injured by his brother Clarence, while they were hunting to-day, in a marsh on the Chesapeake Bay, close to Harve de Grace, Md

The two brothers had separated and both were shooting behind blinds. Clarence was the York and Newport millionaire, was taken to first to start a bird, and as he whirled around to shoot at it his brother came into range. was closeted with the Chief of Police and Police Owing to the blind Yal. Donlan was not in sight of his brother, and Chrence did not know of his presence until Yaleshouted had been arrested for setting fire to the bathin ; that he had been h.t. Then Chrence ran over to him and found that some of the shot had hit When arraigned he pleaded not guilty and. his brother in the breast and had pas ed close | waiving examination, he was bound over to to the heart.

It was seen at once that Mr. Dolan was seriously injured and every care was given to his father. The young man's name has been him until physicians, who were hastily sum- used in connection with fires last week, but the moned, arrived. They ordered that Mr. Dolan | police have nothing to say on that score. and he was removed to a hotel. There the Dolan was seriously injured the wounds estate was burned. The alarm was sent were not necessarily mortal. They advised against removing Mr. Dolan to his Philadelphia home, as they thought that the suspicious. A couple of hours later the stable strain of travelling would be too much for him. was after again and burned to the ground Mr. Dolan had been in the shooting grounds since last May. He is an enthusiast c sports-

BLOWS UP HIS SON-IN-LAW'S HOUSE. An Insane Chemist Loses His Life in Trying

shots in the country.

man and i- known as one of the best pigeon

to Destroy His Family. ITHACA, N. Y., Nov. 12 - The little village of McLean, near Ithaca, was horrifled this morning. There were a number of persons at the investiby an attempt at wholesale murder at the Trapp farm. The attempt was made by an insane chemist and dentist, Levi Gleason. The intended victims were Gleason, his wife, Frank Trapp, his son-in-law Mrs. Trapp, William Trapp, baby Bessie Trapp and Mrs Bassett, daughter of Gleason, and her son of Dundee None of these was injured, but Gleason lost his life. He blew up the farmhouse with a high-power explosive.

At 1.30 this morning there was an explosion that was heard in this city, thirteen miles away. The explosion practically wrecked the farmhouse, but fortunately none of the occupants was injured. Everything moveable in the house was destroyed, and the doors of the barn were blown off. Gleason's body was found about a rod from the rear of the house. The

election. It was also said that many of cases they would die concerned the places which will be named by lishop Potter in his memorial to the Mayor, and that I ammany office holders and the police hope to declare, when that memorial comes out, that action has already been taken against the resorts against which the vice crusade is simed.

WARNING AGAINST DOG BITES. Health Department Says That Dogs in the City Are Suffering From Rabies.

of Health made the following statement yes-

"The Department of Health desires to call the attention of physicians and others to the occurrence of a number of cases of rables among dogs throughout the city, and would request that wherever persons are bitten by strange dogs or stray dogs they immediately consult a physician and have their wounds cauterized, and if then there is any question as to the existence of rables in the animal communicate at once with the Department.

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Dr. Cosby said that there had lately come to the notice of the department several instances in which people bitten by dogs had neglected to have the wounds cauterized. He said that on Saturday a boy was bitten by a fox hound which, when examined, was found to have rables. This dog, Dr. Cosby said, had bitten several other dogs if what he had heard was true.

Hold Up Vernon Avenue Bridge Bonds.

the Department of Bridges, sent a letter to about so clock on Thursday morning, Oct. 11, Bridge Commissioner Shea yesterday pro-Bridge Commissioner Shea vesterday pro-testing against the continued hold-up of the bonds for the Vernon Avenue Bridge by the Municipal Assembly. Mr Probasco says: "I only wish to call attention to this matter because of the conditions that exist at that point. The travel is enormous, both by teams and passengers, and it seems a most outrageous thing that the administration is unable on ac-count of the asinine interference of the Muni-cipal Assembly to go on with this great public improvement, but it seems as if we are entirely helpless in the matter on account of the action

SKELETON ON THE PALISADES. There Was a Bullet Hole in the Skull and a

Rusty Revolver Was Found Nearby. of a man, who had evidently committed suicide, was found on Saturday on the Palisades near the home of George S. Coe by a boy who was hunting. There was a builted hole in the skull. The clothing had been almost entirely destroyed by the weather. Nearby was a rusty revolver, two chambers of which had been discharged. The skeleton was removed to Fort Lee.

On the following day a small pocket mirror bearing the eard of a bicycle concern was picked up near where the skeleton was found. William O Allison, Mayor of the Borough of Englewood Cliff, found yesterday near the same spot a silver half dollar of 1899 which, it is believed, came out of the man's pocket. cide, was found on Saturday on the Palisades

REID'S CHIEF LIEUTENANT BEATEN, His Rout in the Newfoundland Elections Is

Now Complete. St. John's, N. F. Nov. 12.-Mr Morine, "Tzar" Reid's solicitor, and the leader of his political party, met defeat in Bonavista district to-day. He had been a member from Bonavista for neult twenty years. This completes the route of Reid. He has elected but four members, while Premier Bond has twenty-one up to date.

Four Boys at a Birth.

LEXINGTON. Ky., Nov. 12 — Mrs. Russell Christopher, ag 4d 16, gave birth to four boys last night at her home in this county, six miles from Irvine. The children were perfectly formed and weighed from five to seven pounds each.

Arrived: Ss. Kong Frode, Capt Gunderson, Cape Gracios. Oct. 25.

DENNISTON BELL CHARGED WITH SETTING FIRES IN NEWPORT.

Son of Dr. Christopher M. Bell, Who Gives a Bond of \$5.000-The Family at Newport -The Young Man a College Graduate and Law Student-Bell-red to Have a Fire Maria

NEWPORT, R. I., Nov. 12.-Denniston M. Bell, the son of Dr. Christopher M. Bell, a New the police station to-night and for three hours Commissioners. At 9 o'clock he left the police station and the police said that the young man pavilion at Spouting Rock Beach last night the Grand Jury, which meets in January. But was fixed at \$5,000, which was furnished by

be carried to Havre de Grace as quiesly The arrest of young field has been looked as possible. A vehicle was obtained for all day, in fact, many people wondered The arrest of young Bell has been looke i on Saturday last why the police had not quesphysicians made a closer examination of the tioned him about the fire the night before, wounds and finally said that while Mr. when the stable belonging to the Mahoney by Bell, and those who were first to arrive say no fire could be seen. This made people

For some time Bell has been prominent at fires, answering all plarms and assisting in the removal of furnishings, making himself generally useful. He seems to have had a fire mani i. The fire at the Beach was certainly incendiar: It is said that young Rell confessed to the police that he was implicated in both fires, but the police will not confirm this. The will not even say that he admitted anything and request that as little be said as is possible gation, but none will talk. The tire at the Eldridge Villa is not supposed to be incending. but Bell was a very active worker there.

Hon. W. P. Sheffield, Jr., has been secured as counsel for the young man. He was taken to and from the Police Headquarters in a closed cab and was not subjected to confinement in a cell, the chief's parlor being placed at his disposal. Bell is manly looking and very popular with the young set. He is about 25 years old, is a college graduate and has been reading law of late. He took an active part in the local political campaign and was secretary of the Republican City Convention. He lives with his father on Bellevue avenue.

near Bailey's Beach, and this season of the year he place is deserted at night time. It is well that some action was taken in the matter, as the watchmen and residents in the neighborhood had armed themselves and were determined to make it hot for anyone they saw prowling about. Dr. Christopher M. Bell's house at 320 Fifth

evenue is closed. Dr. Bell is a member of the

Metropolitan Club, the American Fine Arts Soelety and the American Museum of Natural TO CHECK PARTY REORGANIZATION.

Towns, Pettigrew and Other Beyanttes Confer at St. Pagl. Sr. Paul, Minn., Nov. 12 - Charles A. Towne, once Populist nominee for Vice-President, United States Senator Pettigrew and a number of other Bryanites met for a conference here to-day on the best means to retain the silver following and defeat the reorganization of the Democratic party on lines antagonistic to them It was said by one of the participants that

Bryan was aware of the object of this preliminary conference. anxious to prevent the Democrats from getting seek the aid of the present Democratic State Committees to frustrate any movement that may be made in this direction until the Bryan

forces can get their second wind and outline a "I have such a plan," said Senator Pettigrew. The members of the conference will issue a circular to State Committees advising them resist all temptations that may be offered by reconstructed Democracy. Their talk indicates that Populism will find a very small

place in their consideration.

FHILADELPHIA BOY MISSING. He Left Home for School and Did Not Return

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 12 -Amos Shallcross, aged 13 years, has disappeared from his home 5704 Keystone avenue, Wissinoming, and his mother thinks that he has been killnapped. Amos is a son of the late Lewis V. Shallcross, whose estate, valued at about \$500,000, is to be divided between his widow and their six children. The missing boy since Amos disappeared, Mrs. Shallcross not

publicity attached to such a step The boy kissed his mother and left for school about so clock on Thursday morning, Oct. 11, carrying his lunch and books. The weather as the time was warm for the season and he was thinly dressed and, as far as is known, did not have any money in his possession. Since that time he has not been seen, except by a playmate, Walter Muss, who says that he saw Amos a few days after he disapreared. He says that the boy teld hen that he had did not intend to return.

Members of the boy's family have searche? The city for him for a month. His mother expresses the opinion that some one has succeeded in gaining control of her boy and is helding him for a ransom.

DAVIS SUCCEEDS GERRY.

of Crueity to Children. Vernon M. Davis has accepted the presidency of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, which Elbridge T. Gerry resigned last week, and he will assume the duties of that office on Jan. 1. Mr. Gerry will continue to act as counsel for the society.

Mr. Davis said yesterday that he could see no reason for chanzing the present poincy of the society's management, because that policy had always been efficient.

"The old conflict with the State Board of Charities is a thing of the past," Mr. Davis added. "Under the decision of the courts, the society is now a regular part of the nuchinery of the criminal courts. It was probably the experience of twelve years that I had in work of a similar sort when in the District Attorney's office that led to my being chosen as Mr. Gerry's successor. My duties will be in the line of my business, and I shall not have to give up my private practice on account of them."

GUY DE YAULUS DIES IN A CAR.

terbach's secretary, died of heart disease in a Broadway cable car about 9 o'clock lest night. He had been dining with his father in a restaurant in West Eighth street and was going home to 208 West Formeth street with his father, when he became his and box deed a cara. I went seguith street. and boarded a car a Twenty-eighth street. He died imm daters of erward

De Yaulus was a monng engineer at 44 Prosdway. He was to meet a party of financi rate, day to turn over to them 100,000 shar sof a Canadian mining company he was interested in

drint Evens' Ale or Stout. Ideal brewirg. -Ade